

NEW YORKISMS.

From Our Own Correspondent. New York, Feb. 9, 1869. I hardly think that the staircases and corridors of Fifth Avenue Hotel have ever been more crowded than they were on Saturday afternoon...

Birgfeld—the amiable Adolph—formerly the pet of the Philadelphia public, it is to be universally recognized with approbation gives a claim to that title, has lately come to grief. For the past year and a half, in fact ever since the establishment of opera bouffe in the midst of us...

An interesting and salutary scene took place on Saturday morning in the Court of General Sessions. Arson has been a prevalent crime for the last few months, and a case which has been standing over since November of last year was finally settled at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

The Waterbury Theatre is the name given to the pretty little minstrel opera house that has recently been deserted by Kelly & Leon. I recognize no names of any account except those of Owen Marlowe (whose aspiring blood I am grieved to see sink into the ground), Mr. Parlow, and Setty Righ. Lydia Thompson has an editorial per day in the Hera about her hair and "Webster's Unabridged" is indebted to Jarrett & Palmer for the coinage of a new adjective, "Nihilonian," suggestive of the larcenous splendors of the Forty Thieves.

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

"Tame Cats" at the Arch. Last evening Edmund Yates' comedy of Tame Cats was produced at the Arch to a large audience. The title of this piece is extremely awkward, it being used to signify the parasites and blood-suckers who prey upon the good nature, weakness, and credulity of their fellows...

The plot turns upon the efforts of a set of parasites who scheme to get possession of the fortune of "Mr. Walter Waversham." They induce him to enter into speculations of all kinds, to waste his wife, destroy his happiness, and apparently bring him to the verge of ruin.

The play is remarkably well acted throughout, and to this, with the excellent style in which it is placed upon the stage, must be attributed its success last evening. The best personation is that of "Ezra Stead" by Mr. Mackay. "Ezra Stead" is a returned convict, without a "ticket of leave," and he reminds us of the "party by the name of Johnson," in the Lancashire Lass, to some extent.

striking as the actors would. "Mrs. Harry Langley" is a sort of compromise between "Lord Dundreary" and "Lydia Languish." This character is well represented by Mrs. Drew. Mrs. Price gives an excellent personation of "Mrs. Walter Waversham," and in some of the scenes she acts with far more power than usual. Mr. Everly, as "Walter Waversham," is also good, but a little too slow and measured, both in his conversation and deportment...

The City Amusements. AT THE WALNUT Mr. and Mrs. Barney Williams will appear this evening in the Irish drama of the Fairy Circle and the comedy of the Customs of the Country. These personations are always welcome and always popular. In their particular line they have no superiors on the stage, and in their Irish dramas, as in the Irish character, there is a mingling of fun, frolic and sentiment that is particularly attractive to a large portion of the playing public.

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MARRIED. FRAZER-TAYLOR.—On January 19, by Rev. T. W. Simpson, STEWARD FRAZER to ANN FAY. LORCH.

DECEASED. KUSCHKE.—On Thursday evening, February 5, by the Rev. D. A. Cunningham, Mr. W. C. KUSCHKE to Miss LIZIE H. KUTZ. No cards.

MARRIED.—On Thursday, February 5, at the Parsonage of the Presbyterian Church, Chestnut Hill, by Rev. Roger Owens, Mr. WILLIAM H. MARLIN, of Germantown, to Miss LADIE H. STROTHER, of Chestnut Hill, Pa.

DECEASED. SMITH.—On December 2, 1867, by Rev. R. M. M. THOMAS, J. R. SMITH and Miss LAURA L. SMITH.

DECEASED. ARKOFF.—On the 7th instant, of typhoid pneumonia, JULIAN ARKOFF, in the 20th year of her age, relative of the late Benjamin Archer.

DECEASED. BANNEN.—On the 6th instant, PAUL BANNEN, in the 10th year of his age. The relatives and friends of the family, also State Council, O. U. A. M.; Mechanics' Hall Association; Christian Church, Liberty and Justice; Philadelphia Council, No. 45, O. U. A. M.; United Degree Council, No. 2, O. U. A. M.; and Justice in general, are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of Mr. B. U. (H. F.) G. A. and Columbia Hose Company, at 10 o'clock, on Wednesday, the 10th instant, at 2 o'clock P. M. Interment at Chesnut and Arch streets, at 10 o'clock. To be followed by a notice.

DECEASED. LAMPLUGH.—At Chester, Delaware county, Pa., February 7, SAMUEL R. LAMPLUGH, in the 73d year of his age. The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. S. M. Smith, Wednesday, the 10th instant, at 2 o'clock P. M. Interment at Chesnut and Arch streets, at 10 o'clock. To be followed by a notice.

DECEASED. LONGSHORE.—On the 6th instant, SARAH LONGSHORE, wife of the late James Longshore, in the 6th year of her age. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her son-in-law, Jacob Landis, No. 650 Fifth street, below Franklin, Frankford, on Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Funeral to proceed to Cedar Hill Cemetery.

DECEASED. MORTON.—On the 6th inst., PENNELL COOMBS, son of Joshua and Amanda Morton, in the 19th year of his age. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his parents, No. 315 Allen street, Kensington, on Wednesday afternoon, the 10th instant, at 3 o'clock. To be followed by a notice. W. HARRY PLATT, and daughter of Joseph D. and Cordelia Murphy, aged 24 years. Funeral from the residence of her parents, on

Wednesday, February 10, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M. Interment at Woodlands. RICHARD RUI SPENCER.—On the 7th instant, RICHARD RUI SPENCER, son of John and Elizabeth Spencer, aged 30 years. The relatives and friends of the family, and the members of the Wacoona Steam Fire Company, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his parents' residence, No. 519 S. Second street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. To proceed to Wacoona M. E. Church Vault.

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MR. DE CORDOVA will give his second lecture at Concert Hall on Thursday evening. Subject, "Mrs. Grundy." The third lecture, entitled "The Spratt at Saratoga," will be given on February 18.

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